

## Floor Sanders and Finishers (47-2043)

**Occupation description:** Scrape and sand wooden floors to smooth surfaces using floor scraper and floor sanding machine, and apply coats of finish.

### Employment and Job Openings

	Average employment			Average annual openings		
	2010 estimate	2020 projection	Percent change	Growth	Replacement	Total
Alaska	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
United States	10,700	12,600	17.8	190	230	420

#### Job outlook

**Alaska:** The job outlook for Alaska is not available.

### 2013 Wages ?

	Mean Wage and 95% Confidence Interval			Wage by Percentile		
	Low	Mean	High	10th	Median	90th
United States	n/a	17.70	n/a	10.91	16.94	26.31

### Labor Force Indicators

#### 2012 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
15	5	33.3	16.7	16.7

#### 2012 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	5
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	0
UI claimants previously working in occupation	0

#### 2012 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	28
Number of job position postings	14
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	2.0

### Typical Entry-level Education, Experience, and/or On-the-job Training

**Education:** High school diploma or equivalent

**Work experience:** None

**On-the-job training:** Moderate-term on-the-job training

## Training Resources

	Degree
<b>Painters and Allied Trades, Alaska Local 1959</b>	
Floor Coverers, Anchorage	
Floor Coverers, Fairbanks	

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